



HRGAC Newsletter | March, 2021

Hudson Rod, Gun & Archery Club. Since 1924



Pictured: (Left) Jimmy Bowen, president of Minneapolis Gun Club, (right) Bob Meyer HRGA Board Member during the MN/WISC Boarder Battle on Feb. 7, 2021 at the HRGA.

News & Club Updates

From the HRGAC President

Hello Members,

We have a new security system at the club. The old one was just that, old and starting to give us problems. Please don't think that we installed this

system to sit and spy on everyone, but to protect the club and give additional security to the facility.

The system is expandable and eventually will be added to our ranges. We have been advised both by law enforcement and the NRA that what we had was not really protecting the club. With the absence of cameras, we really couldn't report to the police a very accurate report. I know this is new and some people have found it funny to mess with the cameras, but they are only hurting the club that we are all members of. This should not be acceptable to any of us.

Thanks,

Ross Goerd
President HRGAC

Volunteers Wanted for Spring Projects!

The Club is looking for volunteers to help with spring projects. Email us at HUDSONGUNCLUB@ATT.NET to learn more.

Single and Family Memberships qualify for a Rebate of \$75 with 8 hours of board approved work hours.

Help improve the club experience and club grounds, and save money on your annual membership. Volunteer today!

Board Updates

Board Meeting Minutes

January 13, 2021 Board meeting minutes are available [here](#). View meeting minutes from previous meetings on our [Club News page](#)

Board Elections

There will be Board elections in April to fill open positions. For more information on running contact Ross Goerd at [ross.goerd@gmail.com](mailto:ROSS.GOERDT@GMAIL.COM).

March Board Meeting

The next board meeting is Wednesday, March 3 at 6:30pm at the clubhouse (main level). Members welcome. Board meetings are held the first Wednesday of the month.

The next Board meeting will be April 7.

Committee Help Wanted

We are looking to have a committee that would like to run a day where our members go out to Game Unlimited and do some bird hunting and sporting clays and fishing. The Gun club would sponsor the event and get the profits.

We could extend the invitation to all the other gun clubs and members with the hopes of building camaraderie amongst clubs and a stronger shooting community.

Interested? Contact Pauline Goerdt for more information:
Pleen117@hotmail.com.

Pullers, Bartender, & RSO Help Wanted

We will be looking to hire more pullers for the summer season and another bartender for the summer hours. We will also need more RSOs.

Contact Derek Gilbert for more information.
Derek@anchorinsuranceagents.com.

Hours of Operation Change: Summer Hours

We are changing the Club's start of summer hours this year. Instead of April - September summer hours, we are expanding summer hours to coincide with Daylight Savings Time. Tuesday and Thursday shooting time will begin **March 14 through November 7** from 4pm to 8pm or 4pm to dusk, whichever comes first. Saturdays and Sundays 10am to 4pm.

Hunter Safety Training

Hunter safety training will be available at the Club. Those interested in participating should contact Pat Knorn at 715-410-1160 or pknornhuntersafety@gmail.com.

Reminder: Membership cards are not valid payment for League Fees

The Membership/Debit card is not valid payment for League Fees. There is no discount for league fees.

19th Annual Banquet

the 19th Annual Banquet is tentatively planned for May 8, 2021 from **10am - 5pm**. An event flyer will be mailed and emailed to members. We are also looking for volunteers to help with the banquet.

Contact Mike Cravens or 651-308-7083 or mikecravens1@icloud.com for more information or to volunteer.

Donations Needed for our Banquet Raffle Item: *The Wheelbarrow of Booze!*

We are planning a return of this Raffle Item for our Club's 19th Annual Benefit Banquet on May 8th 2021.

Donate a bottle or two of your favorite liquor, or ask your liquor store manager to donate a bottle the next time you stop in to stock up. We are asking all Club members to help out.

Drop off your donation with the Club bartender and sign the Donation Log Sheet and the Club will give you **one (1) work hour for each bottle donated.**

Thank you for helping with this fundraiser!

Archery at HRGAC

Want to hone your archery skills? Or maybe you want to try out the sport? We have an **indoor** archery range, an **outdoor** archery range, and a 3D archery course.

For more information, or for upcoming leagues or lessons, please contact Scott Westphal at scott.g.westphal@wellsfargo.com.

Summer Trap & Skeet Leagues

Summer leagues will be starting in April, so start rounding up people and teams. In the meantime, visit the club and practice!

Questions? Talk to Keith Hanson: 612- 309-9729 or keith.hanson@icloud.com.

HRGA Jackpot Results - WISC/MN Border Battle

MGC Jackpot Results - MN/WISC Border Battle

Lewis Class Winners

1st Class

Dave Mansell 45

Scott Steffen 45

2nd Class

Scott Steffen 38

Reed Meyer 38

3rd Class

Daryll Olson 33

Tom Zaspel 33

Ties = Singles from the front then singles from the back.

Four 25 straights shot today. Three of them MN and Tony Brand had 2 of them. Daryll Olson the other. For WI, Dave Mansell. Nice shooting all of you.

Top MN shooters: Scott Steffen, Tony Brand, Jimmy Bowen, Bob Meyer and Daryll Olson.

Top WI shooters: Dave Mansell, Bob Meyer, Jeff Prescott, Reed Meyer and Mark Nordeen.

A frigid day - this time at the Hudson Rod Gun & Archery Club. Minus 17 degrees at the start with a gradual warmup to all of minus 4; however there was bright sunshine and less wind.

It was a lot closer, which made made for good, fun, competition. In the end, Bob Meyer is listed for both WI and MN. Bob recently moved to MN but is a member at MGC and on the BoD at Hudson. So, his best score is in the WI column, and his second best score to MN.

Final score: MN 202. WI 196. MN wins the 2021 MN/WI Boarder Battle 2/0

A bottle of Crown Royal goes to the winners, and a case of beer for WI
Compliments of Mark Zauhar.

Thanks to Bob Meyer and his great volunteers for hosting this event and providing some very welcomed chili and dogs.

Upcoming Events

What: Jackpot Shoot

When: March 7, 2021

League standings and Prizes

The Hudson Rod, Gun and Archery Club would like to welcome you to join us the first Sunday of each month (March 7) from 10-4pm for a Jackpot Trap shoot.

\$20 will get you a round of 16 yard trap and a round of 25 yard trap. Enter as many times as you want.

Part of the entry fee will go into a Lewis Class cash payout and Top gun payout. We will be inviting many other clubs to shoot with us making this an event not to miss.

Visit the clubhouse for more information.

Note: This event is the last Jackpot Shoot before the Big Money Jackpot in April. Shooters that want to participate in the Big Money Jackpot have to have shot at another Jackpot shoot to qualify for the Big Money Jackpot in April. Shooters can add more than one qualifying round at each Jackpot shoot.

What: Conceal Carry Classes

When: March 13, April 10 and 24, 2021 | 8 - 4pm

Cost: \$100

Bob Amey - Lead Instructor - Certified for MN and UT Carry Permit Training

For your \$100.00 you receive ALL of the training required for permits from Minnesota, Utah, Florida and Wisconsin (Price includes use of a firearm if needed and range fees).

Click [here](#) for more information.

Next classes are March 13 and April 10 (changed from April 3).

What: First Shots for New Shooters

When: March 14, 2021 | Noon - 4pm

Cost: \$50 (\$25 range coupon after completion of class)

Join us for a First Shots® introductory range session where you'll receive professional guidance on safe firearm handling and shooting practices. Discover the excitement of a thrilling new sport and enjoy a new sense of accomplishment unlike any other. This event will cover shooting with handguns only.
sign up today!

Click [here](#) for more information and to register for the March 14 class.

Additional date: April 11. [Learn more.](#)

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